

FINE GYMNASIUM AT FORT DOUGLAS

Soldiers to be Given Chance to
Develop Muscle.

BUILDING BEGINS TODAY

WORK ON NEW BARRACKS WILL
BE DONE FIRST.

The soldiers at Fort Douglas are to have a fine gymnasium in which to exercise and develop their muscles at odd times when they are not drilling with the big guns or "hiking" over the mesa in heavy marching order. This place of exercise will be a portion of the improvements that are to commence at the post today.

According to a dispatch from headquarters at least \$30,000 is to be spent in fitting up a fine "gym." It will be located in one of the new barracks buildings that will be erected. Provision will be made, according to plans, for every modern convenience in gymnastic work. Punching bags, gloves, fencing paraphernalia, horizontal bars, swinging rings, rowing apparatus and, in short, everything of that kind necessary to make a complete conservatory of physical training.

It will probably be some time, though, before the "gym" will be ready for use. Work will commence today on the construction of two sets of the new barracks, but the gymnasium, it is understood, will be among the last to be constructed, as absolute needs are to be looked after first. However, in view of the information received by Construction Quartermaster Captain Ham to the effect that the money necessary to make all improvements would be secured immediately, the improvements may be expected to be ready for use much sooner than was at first anticipated.

Gymnasiums Prove Beneficial.

At present there is no gymnasium at the post. In most of all the large barracks provision has been made for something of this nature, and it has been found a great benefit to the soldiers, it is said. It encourages them to activity in sports and keeps them in good physical condition. With the gymnasium training, it is claimed, they are much more able to stand the hard work of soldier life. Besides that, it furnishes a pleasant means for spending the surplus time that usually drags heavily on the hands of the soldier in times of peace. As a consequence, the boys at the local post are looking forward with pleasure to the installation of the "gym."

Target Practice Begins Soon.

Preparations are being made at the post for the usual summer target practice, which will commence on the 1st of May. The ranges are being gotten into shape for the work. They lie on the rolling slope north of the barracks. Targets of the infantry have been set up at various gun ranges.

Some shooting will also be done by the batteries. Gun practice with them, however, is at a disadvantage owing to the fact that all shooting has to be done toward the mountains and, consequently, uphill. Some targets have been placed, however, and the gunners will try their skill, judging distances and gun ranges uphill. The twelfth battery is still holding itself in readiness to be moved to another post, but the orders have not yet come.

BUYS A BIG RANCH

M. K. Parsons Purchases For
\$200,000 the Warm Springs,
Oregon, Property.

A deal has just been consummated whereby M. K. Parsons, the well known Salt Lake cattleman, has secured several thousand acres of valuable land in Harney county, Oregon. The tract of land known as the Warm Springs ranch and is considered the most valuable in that section of the state.

The ranch was purchased from A. W. Riley and the price paid for the land is said to be about \$200,000. Included in this transfer are all the cattle belonging to the ranch.

Mr. Parsons has not yet returned to the city, but it is understood that the details of the transfer have been arranged.

TELLS IDEA OF HEAVEN.

Benjamin Goddard Expounds Views
of Latter-day Saints.

The reclamation of souls after death was the theme of the address delivered at the tabernacle yesterday afternoon by Benjamin Goddard, the only Unitarian minister in the city. He said the Latter-day Saints do not believe in a heaven where everyone becomes an angel, but that there are different degrees of glory. He said that the Latter-day Saints believe in a heaven where everyone becomes an angel, but that there are different degrees of glory. He said that the Latter-day Saints believe in a heaven where everyone becomes an angel, but that there are different degrees of glory.

Mr. Goddard cited the scriptures to prove the contention of the Latter-day Saints that it is possible to save souls after death, and believing as they do in that regard, he told how thousands of baptisms take place every week in the temple for the reclamation of the living as well as the dead.

The speaker professed his remarks by the assertion that the Latter-day Saints are more progressive than any other denomination, because they preach as pure a gospel as did God when he was on earth. He said that the Latter-day Saints are more progressive than any other denomination, because they preach as pure a gospel as did God when he was on earth. He said that the Latter-day Saints are more progressive than any other denomination, because they preach as pure a gospel as did God when he was on earth.

GETTING READY FOR
ARCTIC EXPEDITION

New York, April 25.—Anthony Flala, who is to head the Ziegler Arctic expedition, was a passenger on the American liner steamship St. Paul, which arrived today from Southampton. Mr. Flala went aboard about a month ago to look over the ground and to see to the purchasing of supplies, and he now returns to consult with William Ziegler. Speaking of the trip, Mr. Flala said: "We expect to get off some time in June. The ice broke up early and the prospects for the expedition are good. The American was sent down from Tromsø to Tromsø under her own steam. She is being cleaned, new decks put in and other repairs being made. The American will sail as soon as she is ready, but I cannot give the date."

SOZODONT
Tooth Powder

"Good for Bad Teeth,
Not Bad for Good Teeth."

Gives the Teeth a Pearly Lustre

BIG BOX NEW TOP 25c

V. M. CLEMENT DIES IN MEXICO

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out circular letters to the members, asking each one to prevail upon the senator of his state to intercede in behalf of the American prisoners who were to be killed. This was done and the senators, through the government, took steps to save the prisoners. The result was that the American citizens who had been captured were released. It was this settlement that saved Mr. Clement from being shot.

West to Siberia.

After being released, Mr. Clement came back to this country, but later returned to London, where he remained for some time. He was engaged in mining engineering there and became known for his ability as an expert throughout Great Britain. His reputation was such that he was called upon to go into Siberia and look into the mines of that country. He made the trip through that section, examining the mines, but nothing of special importance ever resulted from the investigation.

When Mr. Clement returned to this country he became engaged with Captain J. R. De Lamar. He remained with him as manager of his properties for about six months.

For the past three years Mr. Clement has been giving most of his attention to extensive mining properties which he acquired in the vicinity of Saltillo, Mexico. He had very valuable mining interests there, but it is understood that shortly before his death he disposed of the greater portion of his interests to the Guggenheim Exploration company. He was also interested very heavily in mining ventures, local securities and industrial stocks in this city. It was understood that after the sale of his Mexican properties he intended to begin more extensive operations here and devote more of his time to his local interests. Only a short time before he left here the last time he remarked, in the course of a conversation with a friend, that he liked Salt Lake as a residence place better than any city he had ever been in, and that he had great plans for the future in local investments and improvements. Only a year ago Mr. Clement was made a handsome offer to return to South Africa to manage a mine there, but he refused on account of his Mexican and local interests.

Wife is Well Known.

Mr. Clement married in California about ten years ago. His wife is a Wisconsin girl. For several years past they have made their home in this city, where they have many friends. Mrs. Clement is prominent in society circles.

Mr. Clement left here about March 5 on his last trip and took his wife with him. She was always a faithful companion, going with him wherever he might be called upon to go. He was fond of hunting and fishing, but apparently no more so than his wife, who was wont to shoulder a gun or rod and enjoy the sport with her husband.

Mr. Clement has always been known for his absolute fearlessness, and a lion hunt which he indulged in in South Africa is used to illustrate his courage. He had been anxious to kill one of the king of beasts. On one occasion, when alone in the wild jungles, he spied a big lion coming over a ridge a short distance in front of him. Without a thought of his danger he raised his gun and fired. Then, as he expressed it to a friend in later years, he "waited until the smoke cleared away to see what was going to happen next." The lion had disappeared when the smoke was gone, and when he walked over the ridge he found the beast lying dead. The skin made into a rug is a trophy that now graces the Brigham street residence of the deceased.

Word has not been received from Mexico as to what disposition will be made of the remains, but it is supposed that they will be brought here for interment.

CHINA IS POOR BUT GENEROUS

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the palace. The dowager has a deserved reputation as an artist among Chinese connoisseurs. Recently she gave Mr. Conger two paintings from her brush for the collection of the Iowa Historical society. Her majesty is somewhat reluctant to place her work in competition with that of professional artists, so hesitates to donate pictures to the exhibit. She has, however, that proficiency of artistic drawing of Chinese characters in which Oriental scholars take pride, and has promised definitely to donate several scrolls.

Americans For Advisers.

Viceroy Yuan Shi Kai, who is giving this province the most enlightened and forceful government enjoyed by any part of China, is surrounding himself with a large staff of American advisers and assistants. His principal adviser is Charles Denby, Jr., son of the former minister. Dr. D. C. Tenney, a Dartmouth graduate and for some years president of the semi-foreign Tientsin university, which Li Hung Chang established, has charge of the reorganization of schools in the province. Fifteen schools, including that of Tientsin and an important institution at Pao Ting Fu, in which foreign languages, sciences and other branches are taught, are now in operation. E. Allen is at present for some years minister of the American legation in Peking. The American legation is at present for some years minister of the American legation in Peking.

Getting Out For Korea.

When Korea sent her first legation to Peking last fall, the government minister, Colonel Denby, the former American minister, the comfortable and centrally situated buildings owned by him, which the American government has rented for some years for the legation. The Korean minister consented to the temporary occupancy of the premises by the United States on payment of an adequate rental. One of the main reasons for the Korean legation's desire to enter into the officialdom of Peking on a scale befitting the occasion. Consequently they have insisted upon taking possession of their property. The American legation has repudiated and partly rebuilt the large Chinese temple and other buildings adjoining the Denby property for the accommodation of the legation. Although these are comfortable, the location is inconvenient and the establishment far from suitable for the legation of a powerful nation. The new legation to be built with the approval of the Korean government will hardly be completed within two years. Meantime the officials must make the best of their makeshift quarters. During the summer months of them will move to the hills outside of Peking, where many foreigners pass the hot months.

Spring Clearance Sale.

Entire stocks of silks and dress goods. Sale begins today.

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Secret Societies

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L. O. T. M.

The ladies of Banner hive No. 11 will give a party to the members and their friends Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. at L. O. T. M. hall.

The new hive of Silver City was publicly installed Friday evening, April 23, by State Commander Mrs. Clousie Kennedy. The sir knights of Silver City

gave a ball. The guards of Tintic hive No. 8 gave the L. O. T. M. march and drill. The ladies of Silver City hive served a lunch during the ball.

The state commander will visit Silver City hive No. 1 at Ogden Tuesday afternoon, April 28, and hold a school of instruction, and will also visit Park City hive No. 2 Thursday afternoon, April 29. Salt Lake City hive No. 4 held regular review last Tuesday evening and initiated life benefit members.

W. R. C.

The George R. Maxwell W. R. C. will entertain at a card social at L. O. T. M. hall Wednesday, April 29, from 2:30 to 5:30 p. m. All friends cordially invited.

A. O. U. W.

Salt Lake valley lodge No. 12 met Thursday night, when the favorable report of the committee on the consolidation of lodge No. 10 with lodge No. 12 was received. It was recommended that the union take place as soon as the necessary work in connection with the consolidation can be done. The lodge was adopted by the members of No. 12. The lodge will attend the funeral of Mrs. Howe in a body. All members of the A. O. U. W. and D. of H. are invited to attend.

Fraternities of America.

Evergreen lodge No. 131 met in regular session last Monday evening. The feature of the evening was the presentation of fourteen applications for membership. This evening a large attendance is expected, to assist in the initiation of several candidates.

Woodmen of the World.

Salt Lake camp No. 54 initiated twenty-three candidates at its meeting last Tuesday evening. A large number of applications were received. The members are struggling to reach the 1,000 mark by June 1.

Camp No. 25 will give a smoker to all Woodmen and their friends in their hall next Wednesday evening.

Missouri's Lieutenant Governor

TENDERS HIS RESIGNATION

St. Louis, April 26.—Lieutenant Governor John A. Lee, who recently turned down a Wisconsin seat, has tendered his resignation today.

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OGDEN NEWS

Ogden, Monday, April 27.

CROSS IS VERY ILL

Ogden Councilman's Condition

Extremely Serious But Physicians Are Still Hopeful.

The condition of C. W. Cross, councilman from the Third ward, took a turn yesterday for the worse, and is such at present as to cause his family and friends great uneasiness. Rheumatism trouble with which Mr. Cross has been suffering appeared yesterday to attack the patient's brain, and he was delirious all last night. A consultation of physicians was held, but the medical gentlemen said that while the illness is serious, it is not by any means necessarily fatal, and they gave considerable encouragement for steady recovery.

Body Not Claimed.

The body of Diminico Diostio, the Italian laborer who was killed Saturday near Little Salt Lake, has not yet been claimed. The body was found by a Luch cut-off work, is at Richey's undertaking parlors, but as yet no friends have appeared to offer any directions as to the funeral. The undertaker is entirely without instructions. He is holding the body awaiting developments.

Captain Witherell's Burial.

Arrangements for the funeral of Captain Justus Witherell have not yet been made and are delayed until representatives of the G. A. R. and the Knights of Pythias, two organizations of which the deceased was a member, can get together and consult. Mr. Witherell was 66 years of age at the time of his death. About four months ago he suffered the loss of a daughter, which affected him deeply, and it is thought, hastened his end.

Sacred Heart Academy Exercises.

The silver jubilee of the Sacred Heart academy will be celebrated in connection with the coming commencement exercises of that institution next June. The alumnae association has already held several meetings and will take an active part in the festivities celebrating the twenty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the school in Ogden. The celebration will be a part of the ceremonies of the annual commencement.

Ogden Briefs.

Seats will be on sale this morning for the appearance tomorrow night of Charles Hanford and company in "Much Ado About Nothing." The regular session of the city council will be held tonight, but at least two members, Powers and Cross, will be absent on account of illness.

The matter of not answering the question of the school districts of Weber county into about one-third the present number is expected to come up for consideration and action before the board of county commissioners either at today's session or at some special meeting held in the near future.

Interest-bearing certificates, yielding 5 per cent per annum, compounded twice a year, can be had from McGurkin & Co., Salt Lake City. Each investor holds his own security.

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